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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:

Yoshiki SAKUMA

Serial No.: 09/819,762

Filed: March 29, 2001

Confirmation No. 2685
Group Art Unit: 2815

Examiner: Bradley W. Baumeister

For: HETEROBIPOLAR TRANSISTOR AND A METHOD OF FORMING A SiGeC MIXED
CRYSTAL LAYER

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

September 23, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 4, 2003, please amend the application as follows
and reconsider the application in view of the Remarks.

A Petition for a one month extension of time to file this response is being filed concurrently
herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of
this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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